

broken line passing through the zone coated with the release agent, and a cast film made of a synthetic resin and having heat sealing properties is affixed to the oriented film.

3. (Twice Amended) The packaging material according to claim 1, in which a thermally insulating flexible sheet is placed on a surface of the oriented film made of a synthetic resin and affixed thereto partially or over the entire surface.

4. (Amended) A packaging material using a film laminate in which a cutting line is cut in the form of a solid or broken line in a cast film made of a synthetic resin and having heat sealing properties and a thermally insulating flexible sheet is placed on a surface of the cut film and affixed thereto partially or over the entire surface.

5. (Twice Amended) A packaging material comprising a cover using the packaging material according to claim 1 and provided with an excess portion and a container having an opening on which the cover is heat-sealed, the cover having a larger area than the area of the opening of the container and the excess portion of the cover dangles from an upper end of the container and is adhesively bonded to the container at an end portion thereof.

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Please add new Claims 7-12 as follows.

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*B2* 7. (New) The packaging material according to Claim 2, in which a thermally insulating flexible sheet is placed on the surface of the oriented film made of a synthetic resin and affixed thereto partially or over the entire surface.

8. (New) A packaging material comprising a cover using a film laminate in which a release agent is applied to a prescribed zone of an oriented film made of a synthetic resin, a cutting line being cut in the oriented film in the form of a solid or broken line passing through the zone coated with the release agent, a cast film made of a synthetic resin and having heat sealing properties affixed to the oriented film, a cover provided with an excess portion, and a container having an opening on which the cover is heat-sealed, the cover having a larger area than the area of the container opening and the excess portion dangles from an upper end of the container and is adhesively bonded to the container at an end portion thereof.

9. (New) A packaging material comprising a cover using a film laminate in which a cutting line is cut in the form of a solid or broken line in a cast film made of a synthetic resin and having heat sealing properties, a thermally insulating flexible sheet placed on a surface of the cast film and affixed thereto partially or over the entire surface, a cover provided with an excess portion, and a container having an opening on which the cover is heat-sealed, the cover having a larger area than the area of the container opening and the excess portion dangles from an upper end of the container and is adhesively bonded to the container at an end portion thereof.

10. (New) A packaged product in which processed food, various foodstuffs, medical instruments, or containers are tightly sealed with a packaging material using a film laminate in which a release agent is applied to a prescribed zone of an oriented film made of a synthetic resin, a cutting line being cut in the oriented film in the form of a solid or broken line passing through the zone coated with the release agent, and a

cast film made of a synthetic resin and having heat sealing properties affixed to the oriented film.

11. (New) A packaged product in which processed foods, various foodstuffs, medical instruments, or containers are tightly sealed with a packaging material using a film laminate in which a cutting line is cut in the form of a solid or broken line in a cast film made of a synthetic resin and having heat sealing properties and a thermally insulating flexible sheet placed on a surface of the cast film and affixed thereto partially or over the entire surface.

12. (New) A packaged product in which processed foods, various foodstuffs, medical instruments, or containers are tightly sealed with a packaging material comprising a cover using a film laminate in which a release agent is applied to a prescribed zone of an oriented film made of a synthetic resin, a cutting line cut in the oriented film in the form of a solid or broken line passing through the zone coated with the release agent, a cast film made of a synthetic resin and having heat sealing properties affixed to the oriented film, a cover provided with an excess portion, and a container having an opening on which the cover is heat-sealed, the cover having a larger area than the area of the container opening and the excess portion dangles from an upper end of the container and is adhesively bonded to the container at an end portion thereof.